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2 UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
3 WESTERN DISTRICT OF WASHINGTON  
4 AT TACOMA

5 PAUL B.,

6 Plaintiff,

7 v.

8 COMMISSIONER OF SOCIAL  
9 SECURITY,

10 Defendant.

CASE NO. C18-5218 BHS

ORDER ADOPTING REPORT  
AND RECOMMENDATION;  
REVERSING DEFENDANT'S  
DECISION TO DENY BENEFITS;  
AND REMANDING FOR  
FURTHER ADMINISTRATIVE  
PROCEEDINGS

11 This matter comes before the Court on the Report and Recommendation ("R&R")  
12 of the Honorable Theresa L. Fricke, United States Magistrate Judge. Dkt. 13. The Court  
13 having considered the R&R and the remaining record, and no objections having been  
14 filed, does hereby find and order as follows:

- 15 (1) The R&R is **ADOPTED**;
- 16 (2) the ALJ erred as described in the R&R; and
- 17 (3) the matter is therefore **REVERSED** and **REMANDED** to the  
18 Commissioner for further administrative proceedings.

19 Dated this 6th day of May, 2019.

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21 BENJAMIN H. SETTLE  
22 United States District Judge